

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA
INDIANAPOLIS DIVISION
CASE NO. 1:12-cv-800-WTL-TAB

JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.,
and TRUE THE VOTE,

Plaintiffs,

v.

J. BRADLEY KING, et al.

Defendants.

ORIGINAL

The deposition upon oral examination of
TRENT R. DECKARD, a witness produced and sworn before
me, Rachel L. Tookolo, a Notary Public in and for the
County of Hamilton, State of Indiana, taken on behalf
of the Plaintiffs at the Indiana Government Center,
South Building, 302 West Washington Street, Conference
Room 5, Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana,
commencing on the 29th day of May, 2013, pursuant to
the Applicable Rules of Procedure with notice as to
time and place thereof.

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1 the first thing that gets funded nor the first
2 thing thought of, but there are many in the public
3 that believe elections just happen. So we
4 diligently work to make sure that we watch how we
5 spend their dollars, the public's dollars, in a
6 way that is most reflective of what we need to do.

7 Q So that \$2.5 million is spent on SVRS; fair amount
8 on Quest; Baker Tilly, as you mentioned, keeping
9 the Statewide Voter Registration System running.
10 And the point of the statewide voter registration
11 system is not only to ease registration but also
12 to make sure that the voter lists are accurate?

13 A That is correct, and I would add that though I was
14 not office prior to the implementation of the
15 Statewide Voter Registration System -- I'm proud
16 that we have one now -- I cannot imagine what any
17 of these activities were like prior to this going
18 online.

19 Q How about -- how about the counties' funding? Do
20 they ever get money from the state or from your
21 Division?

22 A You know, the interpretation that I would make is
23 that they very much do so. We have spent, based
24 on my recollection of looking back at our records,
25 nearly \$30 million in maintaining and implementing